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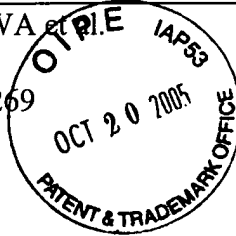
Applicant(s): SAMUKAWA et al.

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Title: OBJECT RECOGNITION
APPARATUS FOR VEHICLE, INTER-
VEHICLE CONTROL APPARATUS,
AND DISTANCE MEASUREMENT
APPARATUS

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Group Art Unit: 3662

Examiner: Ratcliffe, Luke D.

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22314

October 20, 2005

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to a Restriction Requirement mailed on September 1, 2005 in connection with the above application, Applicants hereby elect Group II (claims 6-11, drawn to inter-vehicle control) without traverse.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,

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